

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 3680**

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Geoffrey William Bennett et al.  
Application No. : 10/519,729  
Filed : March 10, 2006  
For : UTILITY USAGE EVALUATION SYSTEM AND METHOD

Examiner : Carrie A. Stroder  
Art Unit : 3689  
Docket No. : 310136.401USPC  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2009, please extend the period of time for response one (1) month, to expire on April 16, 2010. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.